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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents
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In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Final Office Action mailed October 12, 2007, said period of response being extended from January 12, 2008 to April 12, 2008 (Saturday).

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